## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

GERALD D. SMITH,	)	
Petitioner,	)	8:17CV278
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FRED BRITTEN,	)	ORDER
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Respondent.	)	
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This matter comes on to consider the Petitioner's Motion for Clarification (filing no. 14).

## IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) Petitioner shall file his brief in opposition to Respondent's Answer no later than January 8, 2018.
- (2) Respondent shall have 30 days after the timely filing of Petitioner's brief to submit a reply.
  - (3) Petitioner's Motion for Clarification (filing no. 14) is otherwise denied.

DATED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.

BY THE COURT:

s/ *Richard G. Kopf*Senior United States District Judge